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1. About 1 February 1949 a new Arab party was formed in Jerusalem, called the National Party (al-Jubbat al-Sha'biyyah), which source states has been joined by 2,000 of the "best youth" of Palestine.
2. The aims of the new party are said to be:
  - a. To "save all of Palestine" and annex it to Transjordan as part of a united "Grand Arabia."
  - b. To encourage sports and the spirit of the Scouts.\*
  - c. To foster literature and art by organizing societies.
3. The following persons are members of the executive committee of the Party:

a.	Salim Mitwalli	President
b.	Subhi Qutub	Vice President
c.	Mikhat Nashashibi	Secretary
d.	Ghatab Nashashibi	Accountant
e.	Alkran Qa'wa	Treasurer
f.	Adil Sharaf	) Members
g.	Rubi Sayfi	
h.	Sa'id Jundi	
i.	Jack Barud	
j.	Yusuf Fatyani	
k.	Raymond 'Abd-al-Masih	
l.	'Adil Jabashi	)

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